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Inventor(s):

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Title:

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR VIDEO CODING

Enclosed are:

[X] 26 pages of specification, 9 pages of claims, abstract and a Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney.

X] 6 sheets of [X] formal [] informal drawings.

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Form PTO-1449 and copies of documents listed thereon.

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